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<u>CONNECTICUT ENERGY EFFICIENCY FUND'S</u> CONSERVATION AND LOAD MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR 2016-2018

NOTICE OF TECHNICAL MEETING AND OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT

The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection's (DEEP) Bureau of Energy and Technology Policy is providing notice of a Technical Meeting to review the <u>Connecticut Energy Efficiency Fund's Conservation and Load Management Plan for 2016-2018</u> (the Plan) that was submitted on October 1, 2015 to DEEP for the Commissioner's review. Connecticut's electric distribution and gas companies [Connecticut Light and Power dba Eversource Energy, The United Illuminating Company, Connecticut Natural Gas Corporation, The Southern Connecticut Gas Company, and Yankee Gas Services Company dba Eversource Energy] and the Connecticut Energy Conservation Management Board (also known as the Connecticut Energy Efficiency Board) submitted the Plan pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 16-245m(d). DEEP is also providing notice of a public comment period to accept written comments.

The transcribed technical meeting will be held on October 28, 2015, at 9:30 a.m., in the Russell Hearing Room, 3rd floor, at DEEP's Hartford office, <u>79 Elm Street, Hartford, Connecticut</u>. To acquire copies of the transcript, please contact BCT Reporting LLC at (860) 306-0329 or bctreporting1@gmail.com.

<u>Written Comments</u>: DEEP is accepting comments on the Plan which may be filed electronically on <u>DEEP's website</u> or submitted to <u>DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov</u> on or before November 3, 2015, by 4:00 p.m. All materials submitted by stakeholders in this proceeding will be posted on the DEEP website. Any questions or requests for notifications of future meetings may be directed to Debra Morrell at (860) 827-2688 and/or via e-mail at <u>DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov</u>.

Subsequent to this public comment period, DEEP will review all comments submitted and develop a proposed decision. After releasing the proposed decision, DEEP will provide an additional public comment period and schedule a public meeting to provide an opportunity for public comment on DEEP's proposed decision on the Plan. A public notice will be issued once that proposed decision is available.

The technical meeting is also available via webinar. The web conference link and call-in number are:

Web conference link

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Notice filed with the Secretary of State on October 5, 2015.